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SUBJ: SECRETARY'S VISIT TO BRUSSELS JANUARY 23-24

1. FOLLOWING OUR CONSULTATIONS WPHH ACTING SYG PANSA
PRIOR TO PERMREP LUNCH JANUARY 19, AGREEMENT WAS REACHED
AT LUNCH FOR NAC BRIEFING BY THE SECRETARY TO BEGIN AT
2:30 P.M. ON JANUARY 23 AND TO CONCLUDE AT 4:15 P.M.
PANSA UNDERTOOK TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR PRESS
CONFERENCE BY THE SECRETARY IN THE NATO AUDITORIUM
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING NAC SESSION.

2. IN COURSE OF PERMREP LUNCH, AGREEMENT WAS ALSO REACHED
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TO LIMIT ATTENDANCE FOR EACH DELEGATION TO MINISTER

PLUS AMBASSADOR PLUS 3 FOR THOSE DELEGATIONS WITH MINISTERS
OR OTHER SENIOR OFFICIALS PRESENT. AT THE URGING
OF PANSA AND DEAN OF PERMREPS DE STAERCKE (BELGIUM),
THOSE DELEGATIONS WITHOUT SENIOR REPRESENTATION FROM
CAPITALS WILL TRY TO HOLD ATTENDANCE DOWN TO
AMBASSADOR PLUS 2.

3. CANVASS AT LUNCH CONCERNING
ATTENDANCE BY FOREIGN MINISTERS REVEALED FOLLOWING CURRENT
INTENTIONS: ITALY - UNCERTAIN. CANADA - UNCERTAIN.
UK - FONSEC CALLAGHAN PLANS TO ATTEND. PORTUGAL -
IF ANTUNES DOES NOT ATTEND, SECSTATE MEDEIROS
FERREIRA WILL ATTEND. NETHERLANDS - FONMIN VAN DER
STOEL WILL ATTEND, ACCOMPANIED BY FONOFF
DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS. CREECE-
NO REPRESENTATION FROM ATHENS EXPECTED; FONMIN WILL
BE VISITING CAIRO. NORWAY - FONMIN FRYDENLUND HOPES
TO ATTEND, BUT DECISION IS NOT FINAL. BELGIUM -
FONMIN VAN ELSLANDE WILL ATTEND. FRG - FONMIN
GENSCHER WILL ATTEND. LUXEMBOURG - PROMIN THORN
PROBABLY WILL ATTEND, BUT NO CONFIRMATION AS YET.
FRANCE - FONMIN SAUVAGNARGUES EXPECTED TO ATTEND.
DENMARK - FONMIN ANDERSEN WILL ATTEND. ICELAND -
AS A RESULT OF AGUSTSSON'S ILLNESS, PROBABLY NO
SENIOR REPRESENTATIVE WILL ATTEND FROM CAPITAL.
TURKEY - UNCERTAIN. BRUCE UNQUOTE KISSINGER

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